



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Akira Ibuka, et al.

Serial No.: 10/670,523

Group Art Unit: 2627

Filed: September 26, 2003

Examiner: Tan X. Dinh

For: AUDIO PLAYBACK DEVICE CAPABLE OF INDEPENDENT OPERATIONS IN DUAL MODES

Honorable Commissioner of Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**EXCESS CLAIM FEE PAYMENT LETTER**

Sir:


Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.

	<u>AFTER AMENDMENT</u>	<u>PREV. PAID FOR</u>	<u>EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT</u>	<u>RATE</u>	<u>FEE DUE</u>
Total Claims	20	20	=0	x \$50.00	\$ 0.00
Indep. Claims	6	5	= 1	x \$200.00	\$ 200.00
<b>TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT</b>					<b>\$ 210.00</b>

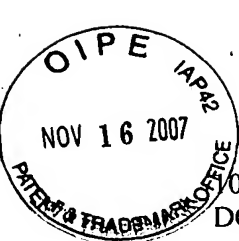
A check in the amount of \$210.00, which covers the excess claim fee, is included herewith. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiencies in fees and credit any overpayment of fees to Attorney's Deposit Account No. 50-0481.

Respectfully Submitted,

  
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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 16, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

**Amendments to the claims** begin on page 2 of this paper. The amendments to the claims do not add new matter.

**Remarks** begin on page 9 of this paper.

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